



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:

Kenneth F. Buechler et al.

Title:

HYBRID PHTHALOCYANINE DERIVATIVES AND THEIR

USES

Appl. No.:

09/776,599

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Jon D. Epperson

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on March 10, 2004, please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this document.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this document.

Please amend the application as follows:



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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

[\mathbf{X}] The fee required for additional claims is calculated below:

	Claims				Extra				
	As		Previously		Claims				Additional
	Amended		Paid For		Present		Rate		Claims Fee
Total Claims:	16	-	20	=	0	х	\$18.00	=	\$0.00
Independent Claims:	1	-	3	=	0	x	\$86.00	=	\$0.00
First p	resentation	of a	ny Multiple I	Deper	ndent Claims:	+	\$290.00	=	\$0.00
					CLAIMS	FE	E TOTAL	=	\$0.00

[X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required regarding this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-0872. Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, as by a check being in the wrong amount, unsigned, post-dated, otherwise improper or informal or even entirely missing, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 50-0872. If any extensions of time are needed for timely acceptance of papers submitted herewith, applicant hereby petitions for such extension under 37 C.F.R. \$1.136 and authorizes payment of any such extensions fees to Deposit Account No. 50-0872.

Please direct all correspondence to the undersigned attorney or agent at the address indicated below.

Respectfully submitted,

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